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Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant submits herewith information that the Office may wish to consider in examination of the subject application. Materials submitted for consideration are listed on the attached SB-08.

Also enclosed is a copy of the English translation of the Japanese Office Action issued in the corresponding Japanese application, JP2007-501360, in which the relevance of any non-English references is cited.

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Respectfully submitted.

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